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ARTICLE 25—TICKETS TO PLACES OF ENTERTAINMENT

[Eff. until May 16, 2011, pursuant to L.1991, c. 704, § 4.]

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Historical and Statutory Notes

L.2010, c. 151 legislation

L.2010, c. 151, § 11, provides:

"Notwithstanding the provisions of article 5 of the general construction law, if this act shall take effect after May 15, 2010, the provisions of article 25 of the arts and cultural affairs law, except section 25.11 are hereby revived and shall continue in full force and effect as they existed on May 15, 2010 through May 15, 2011, when upon such date such provisions shall expire and be deemed repealed."

L.2007, c. 61 legislation

L.2007, c. 61, § 19, as amended by L.2007, c. 374, § 12, eff. July 18, 2007, provides:

"This act shall take effect immediately, provided this chapter shall not take effect with respect to the issuance of licenses or certificates under this article by the secretary of state or department of state until January 1, 2008 and regulation under this article by the commissioners of licenses of the political subdivisions of the state shall continue through December 31, 2007, and provided further,

that the amendments to article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law made by sections one through fifteen of this act shall not affect the repeal of such article and shall be deemed repealed therewith; and provided further that section seventeen of this act shall take effect upon the reversion of article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law pursuant to section 4 of chapter 704 of the laws of 1991, as amended."

L.2005, c. 106 legislation

L.2005, c. 106, § 11-a, added by L.2005, c. 134, § 6, eff. June 30, 2005, deemed eff. June 14, 2005, provides:

"Notwithstanding the provisions of article 5 of the general construction law, the provisions of article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law are hereby revived and shall continue in full force and effect as they existed on May 31, 2005 and shall be subject to the repeal and reversion of such article pursuant to chapter 704 of the laws of 1991, as amended."

L.1991, c. 704 legislation

L.1991, c. 704, § 4; amended L.1994, c. 319, § 1; L.1995, c. 114,

§ 1; L.1996, c. 28, § 1; L. 632, § 1; deemed eff. June 1, 1998, c. 73, § 1; eff. June 1, 1999, c. 60, § 1; eff. June 1, 2000, c. 42, § 1; eff. June 1, 2001, c. 48, § 1; eff. May 3, 2001, c. 56, § 7; eff. June 8, 2001, L. 68, § 1; eff. June 10, 2003, L. 106, § 10; eff. June 14, 2005, c. 61, § 1; eff. May 31, 2007, c. 374, § 11; eff. July 18, 2009, c. 68, § 2, eff. June 1, 2009, L. 151, § 5, eff. July 2, 2010, L.

"This act [adding Arts and Affairs Law article 25, set out repealing Arts and Cultural Law article 25, set out, amending McK. Unconsol. § 8919] shall take effect on the day after it shall have been law [became law Aug. 2, 1991, provided, chapter the laws of 2007 shall not take effect with respect to the issuance of licenses or certificates under this article until January 1, 2008 and regulation under this article shall continue through December 31, 2007, and provided further,

§ 25.01. Legislative fi

[Eff. until May 16, 2011, pursuant to L.1991, c. 704, § 4.]

The legislature finds and for admission to places of and subject to the super political subdivisions of the public against fraud, extor

The legislature further and sell tickets to places New York state often from ing to the provisions of claim that businesses dom from this statute when sel state; regardless of the seller. It is the legisla charged with enforcement al of New York state have persons reselling tickets t extent of the state's powe and that this article be coi

(Added L.1991, c. 704, § 1; L.2007, c. 61, § 1, eff. May 31,

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and provided further that the amendments to article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law made by sections two, three, four, five and six of this act shall not affect the repeal of such article, as provided in section 4 of chapter 704 of the laws of 1991 and as amended by section seven of this act, and shall be deemed repealed therewith."

L.1991, c. 704 legislation

L.1991, c. 704, § 4, amended L.1994, c. 319, § 1; L.1995, c. 114, § 1; L.1996, c. 28, § 1; L.1997, c. 632, § 1, deemed eff. June 1, 1997; L.1998, c. 73, § 1, eff. June 1, 1998; L.1999, c. 60, § 1, eff. June 1, 1999; L.2000, c. 42, § 1, eff. June 1, 2000; L.2001, c. 48, § 1, eff. May 31, 2001, deemed eff. June 1, 2001; L.2001, c. 56, § 7, eff. June 8, 2001; L.2003, c. 68, § 1, eff. June 10, 2003; L.2005, c. 106, § 10, eff. June 14, 2005; L.2007, c. 61, § 1, eff. May 31, 2007; L.2007, c. 374, § 11, eff. July 18, 2007; L.2009, c. 68, § 2, eff. June 9, 2009, deemed eff. June 1, 2009; L.2010, c. 151, § 5, eff. July 2, 2010, provides:

"This act [adding Arts and Cultural Affairs Law article 25, set out second, repealing Arts and Cultural Affairs Law article 25, set out first, and amending McKE. Unconsol. Laws § 8919] shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall have become a law [became law Aug. 2, 1991, eff.

Oct. 1, 1991] provided, chapter 61 of the laws of 2007 shall not take effect with respect to the issuance of licenses or certificates under this article by the secretary of state or department of state until January 1, 2008 and regulation under this article by the commissioners of licenses of the political subdivisions of the state shall continue through December 31, 2007, and shall remain in full force and effect only until and including May 15, 2011 when such act shall be repealed and when notwithstanding any other provision of law, the provisions of article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law repealed by such act shall be reinstituted, provided further that section 25.11 of the arts and cultural affairs law, as added by section one of this act, shall survive such repeal date. Provided, however, the printing on tickets required pursuant to sections 25.07 and 25.08 of article 25 of the arts and cultural affairs law, as added by this act, shall not apply to tickets printed prior to enactment of such article so long as notice of the higher maximum premium price and prohibition of sales within one thousand five hundred feet from the physical structure of the place of entertainment, where applicable, is prominently displayed at the point of sale and at such place of entertainment."

§ 25.09 Ticket speculators

[Eff. until May 16, 2011, pursuant to L.1991, c. 704, § 4.
See also, § 25.09 in Art. 25 Theatre Tickets, ante.]

1. Any person who in violation of section 25.13 of this article unlawfully resells or offers to resell or solicits the purchase of any ticket to any place of entertainment shall be guilty of ticket speculation.

2. Any person, firm or corporation which in violation of section 25.13 of this article unlawfully resells, offers to resell, or purchases with the intent to resell five or more tickets to any place of entertainment shall be guilty of aggravated ticket speculation.

(Added L.1991, c. 704, § 1. Amended L.2007, c. 61, § 5, eff. May 31, 2009.)

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L.2007, c. 61 legislation

L.2007, c. 61, § 19, as amended L.2007, c. 374, § 12, eff. July 18, 2007, provides:

"This act shall take effect immediately; provided this chapter shall take effect with respect to the issuance of licenses or certificates under this article by the secretary of state or department of state until January 1, 2008 and regulation under this article by the commissioners of the political subdivisions of the state shall continue through December 31, 2007; and provided that the amendments to article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law made by sections one, five, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen of this act shall not affect the repeal of such article and shall be deemed repealed therewith; provided further that section 25.11 of this act shall take effect upon the reversion of article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law pursuant to section 4 of chapter 704 of the laws of 1991, as amended."

L.2005, c. 106 legislation

L.2005, c. 106, § 11-a, as amended L.2005, c. 134, § 6, eff. June 14, 2005, provides:

"Notwithstanding the provisions of article 5 of the general cons law, the provisions of article 25 of title G of the arts and cultural affairs law are hereby revived and shall continue in full force and effect as they existed on May 31, 2005 and shall be subject to the repeal and reversion of such provisions upon the effective date of the repeal and reversion of such provisions."